



# Missouri Agricultural Prices

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The United States May Prices Received Index (Agricultural Production), at 107, increased 3.9 percent from April. At 90, the Crop Production Index advanced 1.1 percent. The Livestock Production Index increased 5.2 percent to 122.

Producers received higher prices for eggs, hogs, and broilers. Lower prices were realized for cattle, corn, and tomatoes. In addition to prices, the indexes are impacted by the five-year average monthly mix of commodities producers market. Increased monthly movement of cattle, hay, sweet corn, and broilers offset the decreased marketing of soybeans, calves, hogs, and apples.

## Prices Received Indexes – United States: May 2015 with Comparisons

Index	2011 Base		
	May 2014	Apr 2015	May 2015
Agricultural Production .....	115	103	107
Crop Production .....	100	89	90
Grains and oilseed .....	91	71	69
Feed grain .....	79	63	61
Food grain .....	102	81	79
Oilseed .....	113	78	77
Livestock Production .....	130	116	122
Meat animal .....	128	127	130
Dairy .....	120	82	83
Poultry and egg .....	145	129	146

## Prices Paid Indexes – United States: May 2015 with Comparisons

Index	2011 Base		
	May 2014	Apr 2015	May 2015
Prices paid .....	113	110	109
Production .....	115	111	111
Interest <sup>1</sup> .....	96	97	97
Taxes <sup>2</sup> .....	105	107	107
Wage rates .....	107	110	110
Family living-CPI <sup>3</sup> .....	106	105	106
Ratio (received/paid) .....	102	94	98

<sup>1</sup> Interest per acre on farm real estate debt and interest rate on farm non-real estate debt.

<sup>2</sup> Farm real estate taxes payable per acre.

<sup>3</sup> Bureau of Labor Statistics, Consumer Price Index for all urban consumers (CPI-U), for the previous month converted by the USDA.

## Prices Received for Crops and Livestock – Missouri and United States: May 2015 with Comparisons

Commodity	Missouri		
	May 2014	April 2015	May 2015
Corn .....\$/bushel	5.03	3.78	3.63
Hay, all .....\$/ton	114.00	91.00	106.00
Alfalfa .....\$/ton	190.00	165.00	165.00
Other .....\$/ton	80.00	80.00	80.00
Sorghum .....\$/cwt	9.00	7.21	7.07
Soybeans .....\$/bushel	14.80	9.77	9.68
Wheat, all .....\$/bushel	7.17	5.16	4.72
Commodity	United States		
	May 2014	April 2015	May 2015
Corn .....\$/bushel	4.71	3.75	3.62
Hay, all .....\$/ton	202.00	173.00	175.00
Alfalfa .....\$/ton	225.00	184.00	192.00
Other .....\$/ton	151.00	142.00	134.00
Oats .....\$/bushel	3.98	2.82	2.90
Sorghum .....\$/cwt	8.22	7.90	7.57
Soybeans .....\$/bushel	14.40	9.70	9.60
Wheat, all .....\$/bushel	7.08	5.56	5.33
Milk, all .....\$/cwt	24.20	16.50	16.70
Calves .....\$/cwt	229.00	288.00	288.00
Cattle, all beef .....\$/cwt	146.00	162.00	160.00
Cows .....\$/cwt	104.00	113.00	114.00
Steers and heifers .....\$/cwt	147.00	164.00	161.00
Hogs, all .....\$/cwt	82.80	49.00	58.90

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